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Orrick Docket No. 702563.40  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

**Box Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

- ☒ Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

EXTENSION (months)		FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY		FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
1 month	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$55.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$110.00
2 months	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$205.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$410.00
3 months	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$465.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$930.00
4 months	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$725.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,450.00
5 months	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$985.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,970.00

- ☐ An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
- ☒ Extension fee due with this Request 205.00.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING  
(37 C.F.R. §1.8a)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

January 8, 2003

Date of Deposit

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**FEES FOR CLAIMS:**

☒ Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

The fees for claims (37 CFR § 1.16(b)-(d)) have been calculated as shown below:

Total Claims	23	-	25	=	0	x	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	-	3	=	0	x	\$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if applicable)					<input type="checkbox"/>	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS</b>								<b>\$0.00</b>
Reduction by ½ for Filing by Small Entity. Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.								<input type="checkbox"/> \$0.00
<b>TOTAL FEES FOR CLAIMS SUBMITTED HEREWITH</b>								<b>\$0.00</b>

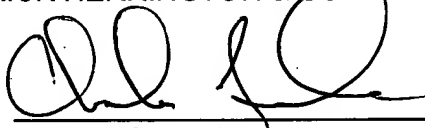
- ☐ A check in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed to cover the above fee(s).
- ☒ Charge Orrick's Deposit Account No. **15-0665** in the amount of \$205.00.
- ☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge Orrick's Deposit Account No. **15-0665** fees required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that are not covered, in whole or in part, by a check enclosed herewith and to credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account **15-0665**.

Also enclosed herewith for filing is a Revocation and Power of Attorney regarding this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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